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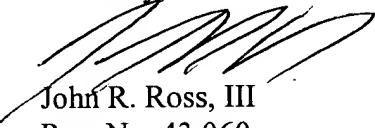
Sir,

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 156, Applicant wishes to bring documents to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. A form PTO-1449 listing these documents is enclosed.

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